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## **NEWS RELEASE**

United States Attorney Michael L. Levy announced the filing of an indictment<sup>1</sup> against Israel Gomez-Almanza, a/k/a "Israel Gomez," charging him with one count of illegal reentry after deportation. The indictment alleges that on or about January 6, 2010, Gomez-Almanza was found in the United States after having been deported from the United States on or about September 17, 2007.

If convicted, the defendant faces a maximum sentence of twenty years imprisonment, a three-year term of supervised release, a \$250,000 fine, and a \$100 special assessment.

## INFORMATION REGARDING THE DEFENDANT

NAME	ADDRESS	YEAR OF BIRTH
ISRAEL GOMEZ-ALMANZA	Bristol, PA	1979

The case was investigated by the Department of Homeland Security, Immigration and Customs Enforcement ("ICE"), and is being prosecuted by Assistant United States Attorney Anita Eve.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>An Indictment or Information is an accusation. A defendant is presumed innocent unless and until proven guilty.